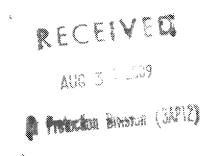


United States Steel Corporation Clairton Works 400 State Street Clairton, PA 15025



August 21, 2009

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Subject: USS Reference Number: 09-0475

ACHD Reference Number: 11603

SCOT Plant

USS Clairton Works

Gentlemen:

The attached form terminates the subject incident. Any questions concerning this matter should be referred to Coleen M. Davis at 412-233-1015.

Sincerely,

Mark G. Tabler Plant Manager Clairton Works

NOTICE OF PLANNED OUTAGE OF EQUIPMENT ARTICLE XXI - SECTION 2108.1

1. USS Reference Number: 09-0475 <u>Termination</u>

ACHD Reference Number: 11603

- 2. Date & Time of Breakdown: Date: 08/06/09 Time: 1000 hours
- 3. Company Name: U.S. Steel Corporation USS Clairton Works
- 4. Specific Equipment Involved or Affected: SCOT Plant
- 5. BAPC Permit Number (if applicable):
- 6. Location: Clairton, PA
- 7. Nature and cause of breakdown: The SCOT Plant will be taken out of service for approximately 2-3 weeks to perform preventive maintenance.
- 8. Identification of Emissions:
 - A. Type(s) (CO, NOX, SO₂, Particulates, Hydrocarbons, etc.)
 Elevated H2S at the incinerator stack, causing increased SO2 at point of combustion.
 - B. B. Toxic qualities of each type (including its qualities as an irritant, and its potential for causing illness, disability, or mortality). SO2 is an eye, nose, and throat irritant.
 - C. Amount of each type emitted (or likely to be emitted). Light to Moderate
- 9. Measures taken (or to be taken) to minimize length of breakdown and amount of emissions, including shutdown or curtailment (or why it is impossible or impractical to do so).

 Personnel, materials and equipment were on site prior to the start of the outage.

10. Facility back in operation - Date: 08/21/09 Time: 0900 hours

Signature (100/n. Xhvv) Date 8-24-09

coreen M. Davis

Senior Environmental Control Engineer Phone: 412-233-1015